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## CORPORATION LAW CLEAR

### Attorney General Peters Gives the Whole History.

A news article in Saturday's Hawaiian Star tacitly accused the Attorney General of garbling the law relating to corporations in a circular to corporations warning them of a penalty in default of their filing of annual exhibits with the Treasurer. "The circular is being severely criticised as intended to scare people into doing something that the law does not compel them to do even though it may be intended to do so, and thereby to bolster up a clumsily drawn act," the Star article said.

As the insinuation was a serious one against the head of the Territory's law department, an Advertiser reporter was promptly detailed to ask Mr. Peters for an explanation. As the Attorney General went to Waialua on Saturday afternoon, the opportunity to see him did not arrive until yesterday. Then he cleared up the whole business in the following manner, showing that he had stated the law as it bore upon the subject properly in the circular:

"This matter of corporation exhibits has been a bugbear right straight along in the Treasurer's office," Mr. Peters said.

"A great many corporations—such as the Inter-Island, the Hawaiian Trust Co., etc.—representing the best and largest interests in the country, though saying they considered that the Merchants' Association was right in claiming that the exhibits were not required legally, have said that they would file exhibits anyway. A little over seventy corporations filed their exhibits last year.

"George W. Smith of Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., raised the issue over a year ago. He objected to filing exhibits of his company on the ground that it was an interference with private business to require that the company's affairs should be exposed to the inspection of rival concerns. Also he claimed that his corporation was a close corporation.

"Four or five months before the session of the Legislature of 1905 Benson, Smith & Co. sought the opinion of Smith & Lewis as to whether the law relative to the filing of annual exhibits by corporations was good enough. I have not heard what the opinion was further than information that it was against the contention of the corporation.

"All the same, the Merchants' Association decided that it would fight the question. There was some correspondence between George W. Smith and the Treasurer upon the matter of a test case. First it was understood that Benson, Smith & Co. would refuse to file an exhibit, but they relented on that proposition.

"Then it was considered whether an agreed statement of facts could not be arranged for submission to the Supreme Court. Benson, Smith & Co. at this stage wrote a long letter objecting to the filing of an exhibit on the ground that the form was not proper. This was beside the main question.

"We were trying to get it before the Supreme Court prior to the meeting of the Legislature. Then, when the Legislature was in session, Smith & Lewis brought up an agreed statement of facts which was their own. It differed so much from the statement which had been under consideration that we could not accept it.

"Now, regarding the point raised in the Star on Saturday, here is the whole case in a nutshell. When the Legislature met, one of the first measures it enacted was the Revised Laws of 1905. In this the law relative to annual exhibits by corporations, as Section 2566, Revised Laws, is a copy of our Civil Code of 1893, Section 141, our Compiled Laws of 1884, Section 141, and Compiled Laws of 1897, Section 2024. It provides for the making of annual exhibits by corporations.

"In 1890 the Legislature of the Kingdom of Hawaii, by Chapter 43, Sec. 19, found in Civil Laws 2040, and again the Legislature of 1903, by Chapter 8, Sec. 1, provided relative to corporations a penalty for making any false affidavit, etc., and then used these words: 'or hold themselves out to be a corporation without having complied with the provisions of this Act' shall be held to be guilty of a misdemeanor, etc. The compilers of the Revised Laws changed the words 'this Act' and substituted in lieu thereof the word 'law.'

"This alteration being adopted by the Legislature brought in the entire law from 1859 with its amendments, thereby making any violation of the law of corporations a misdemeanor. The Star has corrected its misapprehension of the law in today's issue.

"In preparing the notices to corporations on behalf of the Treasurer, it would have been surplusage if the other stated breaches of the law were inserted. Only the neglect to file exhibits was in point. But, as you see, the Revised Laws make the violation of any of the provisions of law applicable to corporations a misdemeanor."

Mr. Peters reminded the reporter that when he gave him the circular to print a week ago he mentioned his intention to score out the underlined passage threatening the penalty in the copies going to corporations that had hitherto complied with the law.

In its correction of the wrong impression its article of Saturday made, yesterday's Star quotes Governor Car-

ter at some length in insisting on the enforcement of the law.

"Parties who are granted privileges should comply with the terms on which the people grant those privileges," the Governor is reported as saying. "Openness and publicity furnish the best preventives of graft conditions and the law must be complied with," the executive concluded.

### ECLIPSE CORRECTION.

Editor Advertiser: Confession being good for the soul, I desire to confess being caught napping on eclipses for 1906, as given on page 6 of the Hawaiian Annual, and wish, with your permission, to correct the following events.

The total eclipse of the moon, to take place February 8, instead of being invisible, as stated, I find will occur as follows:

Moon enters penumbra at 6:24.1 p. m.  
Moon enters shadow at 7:27.0 p. m.  
Total eclipse begins at 8:27.8 p. m.  
Middle of eclipse at 9:17.0 p. m.  
Eclipse ends at 10:06.2 p. m.  
Moon leaves shadow at 11:07.0 p. m.  
Moon leaves penumbra at 10:09.9 a. m. of the 9th.

This makes it the more important eclipse of the year to us, taking place, as shown above, from evening to midnight, the other total eclipse, to occur August 3-4, being from midnight to morning.

The second partial eclipse of the sun, given as July 2, should read July 21.  
THOS. G. THURM, Publisher.

### MOONLIGHT SERVICE ON DAMON ESTATE

Out in the moonlight near the handsome fountain in the beautiful gardens of Moanalua a religious service was held last evening, a unique incident in the effort to spread the Gospel among those who inhabit the outskirts of the city. It was a service conducted by Mrs. S. E. Damon, assisted by Rev. J. W. Wadman of the Methodist church.

The scene was impressive. Hawaiians and Chinese gathered upon the terrace adjacent to the fountain and the government road and just within the borders of Hon. S. M. Damon's fine country estate. The speakers chose a spot which was flooded with moonlight. Nearby a huge monkey-pod tree threw out its branches, casting a deep shadow, and in this semi-darkness the little congregation was grouped upon the lawn and the terrace wall, some lying at full length, others maintaining a dignified sitting posture, and all were attentive to the service.

A melodeon and a lantern were brought into the midst of the group, and after a song and a prayer, Mrs. Damon stood before the people and plaintively pleaded with them to turn aside from things that were altogether worldly and seek closer communion with God.

It was a home address, a quiet little heart-to-heart talk. The speaker asked the natives to watch well the bringing up of their children; to refrain from using bad language in their presence, and to exert themselves to know that which is good rather than bad.

She asked them if they knew what it was to know "the peace which passeth all understanding," the heart-peace which many desired, perhaps, but did not know how to obtain. For example, she asked the mothers if they knew what it was to leave their little ones at home to go to town, to feel alarmed while they were away lest something should happen to them, and how, on returning home, they felt relieved and thankful that the children were well and happy and unharmed. This was only an idea of what would come of the peace and thankfulness when one put his or her whole trust in God.

### WILSON KICKS ON THE PALI CONTRACT

"The giving of a contract by the County Board to Whitehouse to build the Pali road, after advertising for bids for only forty-eight hours, is an injustice to every contractor in the city," said John Wilson, the contractor, yesterday.

"There may be no law requiring the government or any part of the government to advertise for bids for any length of time, but custom here has something to do with it. And, besides, there was no such great rush to get this work started.

"They knew that some of us contractors were out of the city at the time. There were two over on Kauai. You can't figure on specifications intelligently in forty-eight hours.

"It was a great injustice and the methods of the board in this instance are not a credit to such an organization."

### THE COOKING SCHOOL.

Miss Tracy's cooking class will meet hereafter on Wednesday mornings at the Hawaiian Hotel. The subject of this week's lesson is "Suggestions for Dinner." The menu includes: Cream of lettuce, asparagus rolls, bechamel sauce, daisy salad, almond macaroni tartlets. The lesson will begin promptly at 10 a. m.

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